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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Sir:

In further response to an Office Action dated August 5, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted for entry and consideration. The Action set a 3 month shortened statutory period for response, making this paper due November 5, 2008. This reply is timely filed. The instant supplemental amendment replaces the previously non-entered amendment.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.

The Examiner is kindly requested to enter and consider the present amendments and remarks even though submitted after final. Applicants believe the claims are in condition for allowance.